

# Mosaic Anywhere on Linux

If you are running the Linux operating system, please use these instructions to install the VPN client, remote desktop client and then connect to Mosaic Anywhere.

## Install the VPN Software

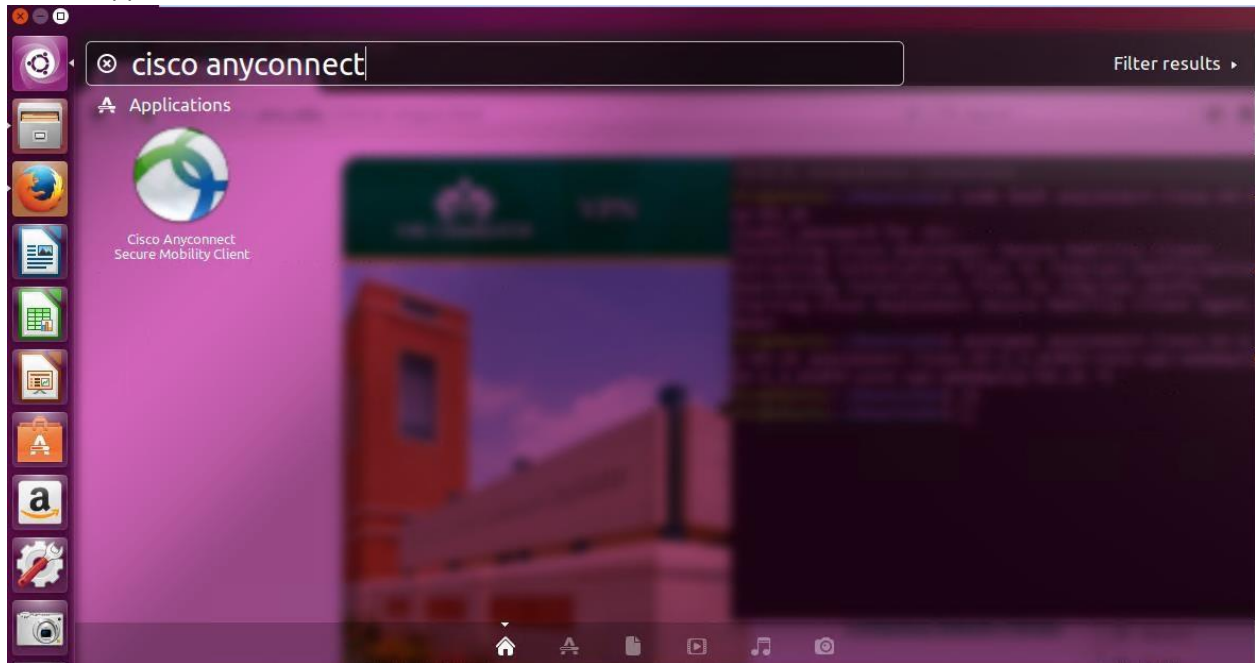
Follow these steps to download and install the VPN.

<https://services.help.charlotte.edu/TDClient/33/Portal/KB/ArticleDet?ID=674>

## Connecting to the VPN

After you have installed the VPN, you will need to connect to the right profile.

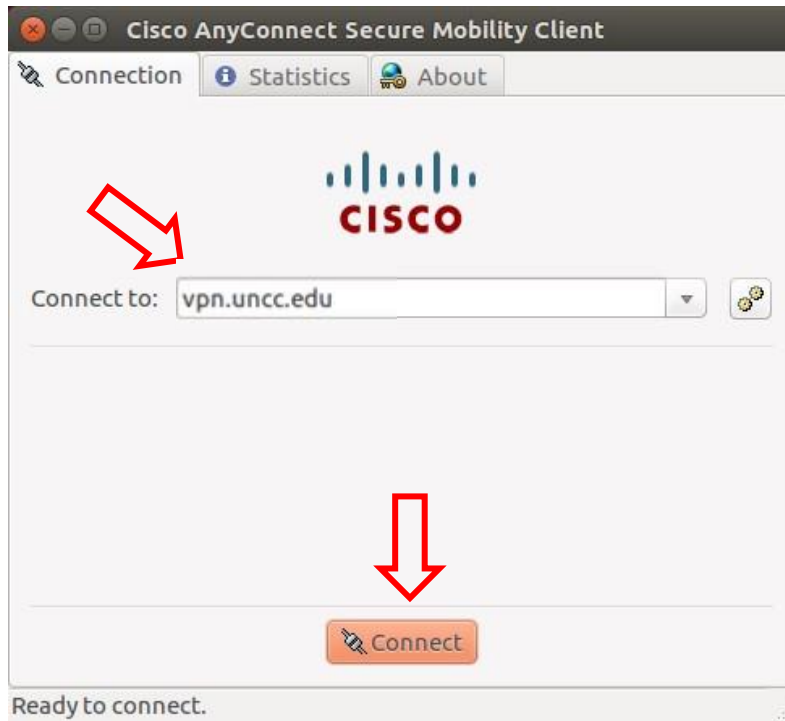
Launch Cisco AnyConnect from your desktop menu or app launcher. The screenshot below shows the Ubuntu app launcher:



A window will open like this. Type in the profile:

vpn.uncc.edu

And then click Connect.



Type in your NinerNET Credentials, then click Connect.



The window will disappear and an alert will tell you that you are connected. You are connected.



To verify that you are connected, reopening the Client and going to the Statistics tab will show you that.



## Installing the Remote Desktop Client

Open a terminal and type the command based on your distribution:

### Ubuntu/Debian

```
sudo apt-get install remmina "remmina-plugin-*"
```

### CentOS/RHEL

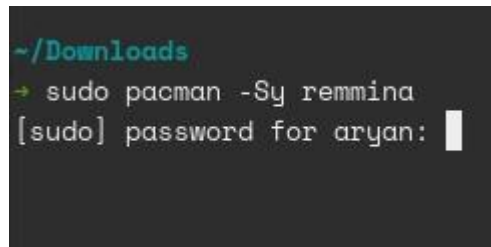
```
sudo yum install remmina "remmina-plugins-*"
```

### Fedora

```
sudo dnf copr enable hubbitus/remmina-next && sudo dnf upgrade --refresh  
'remmina*' 'freerdp*'
```

### Arch

```
sudo pacman -Sy remmina
```

A terminal window with a dark background. The prompt is ~/Downloads. The user has entered the command sudo pacman -Sy remmina. The terminal shows the prompt [sudo] password for aryan: followed by a white cursor bar.

```
~/Downloads  
→ sudo pacman -Sy remmina  
[sudo] password for aryan: █
```

Type in your password, if prompted. It will not appear as you type and then press enter.

## Connecting to Mosaic Anywhere

Go to Mosaic Anywhere website: <https://engrmosaic.charlotte.edu/mosaic-anywhere/>

**Windows 10 Mosaic Anywhere**  
When off-campus, first use Cisco VPN client to connect to campus. [VPN Help.](#)  
[Mosaic Applications list](#)

**STEP ONE:**

Display:

Drive Sharing:

Connection:

**STEP TWO:**

**STEP THREE:**

Double-Click on the downloaded RDP file. This RDP file contains the information necessary to connect you to Mosaic Anywhere.

Once downloaded, double click the RDP file to have it open the Remote Desktop Connection (RDC) program.

It will connect you to a specific Mosaic Anywhere machine and allow you to login.

If you already have an open Mosaic Anywhere session, it will re-connect you to it, if not, it will use a new machine to start a new one.

Type in your username in Step Two and click Generate RDP File for Connection.

A file will be downloaded. Double click the file to open it. Remmina will open and will connect to the machine.

If prompted, click Yes to accept the certificate.

Certificate details:

Subject: CN = RWS3015.mosaic.uncc.edu  
Issuer: CN = RWS3015.mosaic.uncc.edu  
Fingerprint: fe:a3:8a:32:8b:d0:95:55:8e:e3:e6:dd:33:76:41:82:09:6d:80:be:15:8a:3f:fb:ff:e3:80:6c:ac:ce:ec

Accept certificate?

Enter your username (email without the '@uncc.edu' part) and Mosaic credentials when prompted then click OK.

# Enter RDP authentication credentials

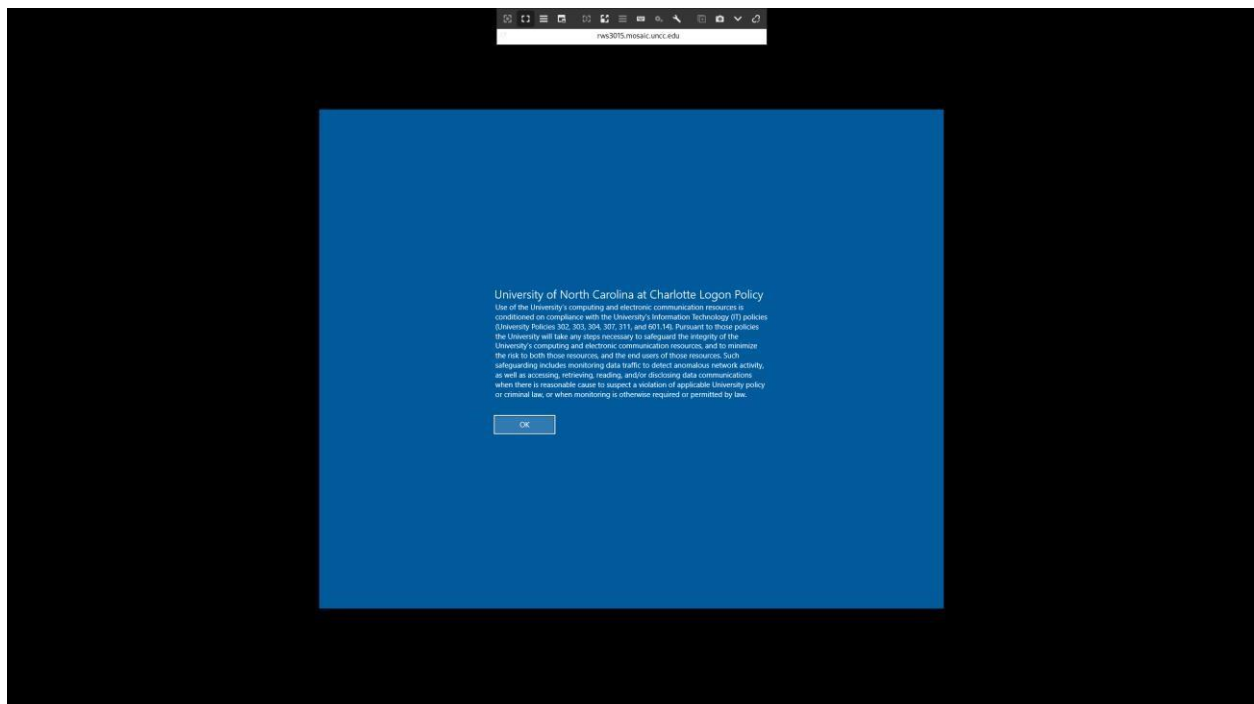
Username

Password

Domain

Save password

The window will log you in after accepting the Logon Policy.



**If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us.**

By a ticket: <https://help.charlotte.edu>